

Protocol Identification by Heuristic Content Analysis

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A system and method are disclosed for providing network traffic identification.

In one embodiment, the method comprises receiving pattern matching data; comparing
5 the pattern matching data with a pattern; and determining whether the pattern matching
data matches the pattern. In one embodiment, the system comprises an interface
configured to receive pattern matching data and a processor configured to: compare the
pattern matching data with a pattern and determine whether the pattern matching data
matches the pattern.